

Lori Witzel Day

Presented by Council President Jennifer Campbell

October 21st, 2021

WHEREAS, Lori Witzel has been a treasured employee with the City of San Diego since coming aboard in 1997; **and**

WHEREAS, Lori began her career as a Legislative Recorder with the City Clerk's office in 1996. She also served as a Principal Clerk in the City Manager's office. In 2004, she transitioned into the Council Administration Department and became the Director in 2006.; **and**

WHEREAS, Lori has been the pivotal person to keep the City's legislative branch running she is professional, a confidant, cheerleader, counselor and friend to all the employees on the 10th floor; **and**

WHEREAS, Before Lori began her time at the City, she was an ace high school softball pitcher and pitched many shutouts helping lead Grossmont High School to the CIF Championships.; **and**

WHEREAS, Lori and her husband, Randy, are the proud parents of Jesse, Jill, and Jenna as well the proud grandparents of 11 grandchildren; **and**

WHEREAS, Lori's life has been one of true inspiration to those around her. Her gift of kindness combined with leadership has been a blessing to the city of San Diego; **and**

WHEREAS, Lori will be missed dearly by her colleagues, councilmembers, and everyone whose life she has touched during her time in the city and we wish her the very best on her retirement; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

BE IT PROCLAIMED, by the Mayor and the Council of the City of San Diego, that this Council, for and on behalf of the people of San Diego, does hereby proclaim **October 21st, 2021**, to be "**Lori Witzel Day**" in the City of San Diego.